

Mr. Jas. Stronach of Kinsella, Passes

The funeral of Mr. James Stronach who passed away at his home, Monday 27th, was held in the United Church, Kinsella, Wed. 29th, at 10.30. The Rev. Mr. Griffith had charge of the services at the church and the Masonic Chapter of Wainwright had the services at the grave-side. The church was filled with friends who had gathered to pay their last respects to their friend and neighbor who had lived among them for the past nineteen years. Mr. Stronach was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, and came to this country with his parents when 14 years of age.

He was united in marriage to Miss Georgina Corbett in May 1902.

Mr. Stronach leaves to mourn his loss, his wife, two sons, Jack, of Rocky Mountain House and James Jr. of Toronto, and three daughters, Isabel, Patricia and Frances, all of Kinsella, also his aged parents, brothers and sisters and a host of friends.

The beautiful floral offerings were from the following: Wife and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burnett; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hajek and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen; Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wagness; Mr. and Mrs. C. Snogard; Stanley Sowinski; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams and family; Mr. and Mrs. D. Corbett and family; Frank Williams; the Jewel family; the Kinsella W.I.; the Kinsella Ladies' Aid; the Kinsella Junior Choir.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Alderman and C. E. Callas and family of Wainwright; Mr. and Mrs. H. Coos of Detroit; Geo. Stronach and family of Toronto.

Liberal Executive Met at Red Deer

(From the Viking News)

Appointment of a single governing body for the Liberal party in Alberta was decided on at a convention of 200 representative Liberals of the province held at Red Deer on Saturday. This governing body will be formed from the existing Dominion and provincial organizations.

A co-ordinating committee was formed of the Liberal members of the legislature, James A. McKinnon, M.P. for West Edmonton, and Liberal senators from this province as well as officers of the Dominion and provincial organizations.

The convention also decided to call a meeting sometime in the winter to select a new provincial leader in succession to Mr. Justice W. R. Howson. The formal resignation from the leadership of Mr. Justice Howson was read and a resolution of appreciation of his services was passed. Sympathy for him and his family in his present illness at Harrison Hot Springs was also expressed.

Attending the convention were members of the executives of the Dominion and Provincial Liberal associations, the Young Men's Liberal Club, the Twentieth Century Club and the Liberal Women's Associations.

R. M. Edmondson, Calgary, president of the provincial association, was in the chair. Walter S. Campbell, president of the provincial association and J. Boyd McBride, secretary were also present.

GRAIN ACTION

After discussion of the livestock and feed situation in the province the following resolution was passed on motion of J. M. Dillon and D.F. Whitney, both of Calgary.

"That the federal government be approached by each Liberal Constituency Association by wire if possible, to take immediate steps to insure an ample supply of low quality coarse grains throughout the winter months; and to this end, we respectfully sug-

Kinsella Kernels.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Miller and son, Duane of Avera, California, and Miss Thelma Miller of Hollywood, Calif., arrived on Saturday, and will spend a few weeks at their homes here.

The Misses Marion and Edith Watson entertained at a tea on Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Don Garvie. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent and a delightful luncheon was served.

Mrs. W. L. Ferris and Mrs. J. Kyle were the guests of Mrs. J. Smith on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Mabel Garvie left on Sunday for Vancouver where she will visit with her son Ralph, and friends, for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Huse returned to their home on Tuesday after a few days spent at the home of Mrs. Huse's father, Mr. Frank Murray.

We are very sorry to report that Mrs. Revel is in the Viking hospital, and we hope she will return soon.

Manitoba May Have Coalition Party

WINNIPEG—The Winnipeg Free Press publishes the following in its news pages: Prospects for stabilized non-partisan government in Manitoba brightened Saturday night as political circles studied means by which different groups in the legislature might cooperate with that end in view.

Belief gained ground in government quarters that the present government will be able to continue at the helm through cooperation between the Liberal-Progressives, the largest of the four groups returned to the next legislature, and one or the other of the three opposition groups.

SPECIAL LADIES AID MEETING

A special meeting of the Irma Ladies Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Eldon Fenton on Thursday July 30th. There were members attending and 4 visitors. The president, Mrs. Frickelton conducted the meeting. Mrs. Arnold led in devotions, and Mrs. M. Enger acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. Carter. Mrs. Arnold gave a report re second furnace for the church.

After some discussion it was moved by Mrs. Fenton, seconded by Mrs. Maguire that the Ladies' Aid were willing to pay for and install a furnace in the Irma church, and that Mrs. Arnold and the president be a committee from church to aid re same. —Carried

Mrs. Fenton and Mrs. Maguire were appointed second quilt committee for bazaar.

Mrs. Fenton invited the Ladies Aid to her home for one of the quilt meetings. The meeting closed in the usual way to meet with Mrs. S. G. Simmons on August 13th.

A meeting of the Irma Branch of the Canadian Legion will be held Saturday evening, August 8th. All members and friends are cordially invited. H. Carter, Sec'y.

rest that the federal government, through whatever agency it may select, purchase these grains from the market price and supply them to the stockmen at a cost of not more than 25c per bushel for feed oats; 35c per bushel for feed barley; and 60c per bushel for feed wheat; that the difference in cost, plus administration be borne by the federal government, and that the federal government arrange for free freight on these commodities; that the supervision of this activity be carried on entirely by the federal government."

FORMS FOR REGISTRATION ISSUED BY THE SOCIAL CREDIT GOVERNMENT

By T. B. Windross.

EDMONTON, Alta.—The past week will be a memorable one in the history of Alberta because at long last the provincial government has made public its complete plans for Social Credit during that period.

Hon. E. C. Manning, minister of trade and industry, who will have charge of the registration of citizens for their basic dividends, said Friday: "The government's plan for Social Credit is now complete and it is up to the people to accept or refuse it."

A summary of the government's plan as indicated by the statements of Mr. Aberhart, Mr. Manning and the publication of the various registration and "covenant" forms will be of interest to the readers of this column.

First the qualifications for receiving basic dividends, of whatever amount they may be, are as follows:

1. British citizenship either by birth or naturalization, providing if the latter that the full period required by law of five years has been fulfilled.
2. Residence in the Province of Alberta for all of 1935 for those registering during August and September, 1936.
3. Agreement over signature to cooperate with the government "most heartily" in helping to produce sufficient in Alberta to supply the necessities of life for all citizens.

The form for citizens to sign requires the giving of certain information as to income, debts, liabilities, training for employment and other things and it is explained that all this information is wanted by the government, not to embarrass any citizen, but for the purpose of supplying data on which the government may build up its system.

Other forms are to be signed by retailers, wholesalers, manufacturers and farmers and they too are for the purpose of supplying information as to the possible production, wealth and requirements of the people in the Province.

Some interesting information concerning the "Alberta Credit" which the government will distribute in dividends was given by the premier during the week. He stated definitely that it will only be possible to spend this "credit" on Alberta made goods. The object being to keep the benefits from this system within the province.

This will also help to keep as much as possible of the cash for outside payments in the province.

It was also explained that the reason why citizens will be asked to co-operate by not offering the dividends in payment of provincial taxes is that the government will need some dominion currency with which to meet its own outside obligations as well as for purposes where the credit will not be exchanged and if all its "credit" came back to it in the dividends for taxes, the end and purpose of Social Credit would be defeated.

It now seems more likely than before that a fall session of the legislature will be called either late in September or during October to deal with matters needing adjustment, such as developments in the Social Credit plan and the drought situation and feed shortage.

Hon. Mr. Chant, minister of agriculture, left for Ottawa Saturday to join Hon. Charles Cockcroft, provincial treasurer in urging dominion action to relieve the situation in the dried out areas of the province. The government claims that the situation is so serious that federal action is necessary to avoid a great national calamity. There are said to be 400,000 head of cattle which must be removed to sections where there is feed, or destroyed.

This situation has caused the premier to issue a warning that the amount of the basic dividend to be paid citizens will be affected unless there is an improvement shortly. Most of the crop in the dried out areas has gone beyond any recovery now, despite the late rains that have come during the week.

Conditions in the Edmonton area are not as bad as was at first thought, some farmers are saying they expect to average 35 bushels of wheat to the acre on land near the city. The only portion of the province where crops are uniformly good is the Peace

River country, according to the N.A.R. crop report released during the week.

Hon. E. C. Manning announced Saturday Morning that W. D. King, secretary of the Alberta Bankers' Association, has been appointed deputy minister of trade and industry. Mr. King is a Calgarian and has been a banker for 30 years previous to taking his present position. He was one time in the Bank of Nova Scotia at Lethbridge. He is considered a good selection for the vacant deputy position.

Says Scrip Success in City of Detroit

We have been well warned about scrip lately and made to believe that any and every kind of scrip ever tried has proved a failure, but recently we had the pleasure of securing some first hand information concerning Detroit scrip which will be of interest to our readers.

Our information was secured from Major H. Scott, a nephew of Mr. A. Sanderson, who was visiting the Sanderson families here. Major Scott is manager of a large chain store in Detroit, one of six hundred of its kind. He impressed us as a shrewd business man, speaking guardedly but with full knowledge of his subject. He is keenly interested in the Alberta experiment and is confident it will work.

In 1930 the city of Detroit was practically bankrupt. It could not borrow money and pay interest rates. They decided to issue \$2,000,000 in scrip. This was issued in April and bore a 4 per cent interest and was redeemable the following April at the City Treasurer's office. People said it would not work, could not be done, etc., but Mayor Murphy did it. It was paid out as wages to city employees. At first some business places refused to accept scrip, others discounted it heavily, but the scrip kept circulating in the city, paying bills, and transferring goods and services, and before very long everybody accepted it just like money. In fact the next year the sum was increased to \$10,000,000. Mr. Scott's firm took the scrip right along. It was in denominations of \$1; \$5; and \$10; and they gave back change in U. S. coin of the realm. The scrip paid debts and bought goods and services all over Wayne Co., and eventually instead of discounting they paid a premium for it. One could get 2 per cent interest at the banks, so they stepped out and bought scrip. Mr. Scott said that if someone went into the city office to pay taxes with scrip there would be a down people there offering him cash for the scrip and a slight premium to boot. In place of driving other money out it brought other money in. It appeared that financial interests saw that it was working so well the only way they could stop it was to flood the city with scrip. Scrip was used three years in Detroit and it worked beyond the expectations of the most optimistic. A building boom and good times set in which have continued. —Consort Enterprise.

SALES TAX PAYABLE IN CERTIFICATES

"In view of the limited number of wholesalers willing to accept Prosperity Certificates and in order to encourage as many retailers as possible to take them, the government will accept payment of the 2 per cent sales tax (under the Ultimate Purchasers' Tax Act) in Prosperity Certificates" it was stated.

Payment of this sales tax in certificates should be made during the days specified for presenting the certificates for cash, which in all cases is before the 15th of the month. Any certificates which a merchant cannot dispose of may be presented for payment in Canadian currency within the days allowed for this purpose.

DATE OF SOLDIER SETTLERS' FIELD DAY IS CHANGED

The date of the Soldier Settlers' Field Day formerly set for Wednesday, August 5th, has been changed to Friday, August 7th. —Dominion Experimental Station, Lacombe, Alta.

Obituary.

NEWED FIGINSHAU

The death of Mr. Newd Figinshau occurred at the Wainwright Hospital on July 30th, 1936, after a lingering illness.

The deceased was born on August 24, 1887 at Grand Forks, North Dakota and came to Saskatchewan 25 years ago, where he homesteaded, later coming to Alberta where he resided ever since.

In 1927 he married Dorias, youngest daughter of Mr. C. and the late Mrs. Goodale. Four children were born to this union, Clark, Ellsworth, Harry and Ida Queen. Besides his wife and children there are left to mourn three brothers, James, William and Theodore; and three sisters, Mrs. F. H. Rogers, Mrs. Pauline Knudson and Mrs. John Rhiner, all living in the United States.

The funeral service was held in the Irma United Church on Saturday August 1st, Rev. Bennett of Wainwright, officiating.

The following were the pallbearers: Messrs. Harry Halvorsen, A. A. Fischer, W. J. Bishop, Elmer Jones, R. W. Patterson and W. Renwick. Interment took place in the Irma cemetery.

Too late for last week.

ALBERT ANDREW TAYLOR

Mr. Albert Andrew Taylor was born at Blackstock, Ontario, in 1877, coming West at the age of twenty-one years. He homesteaded in North Dakota, afterwards coming to Edmonton. He was the senior partner of the old firm of "Taylor and Spinks" in that city. In 1911 his health failed and he moved to Victoria, B.C. He returned to Alberta in 1915 much improved, where he lived until his death from heart failure on Sunday July 9.

He was a member of the United Church and was much interested in education and church work. He is survived by his wife, nee Harriet McLaughlin, of Blackstock, Ont.; his daughter, Winifred, and four sons, George, Gerald, John and Allen; four brothers, Fred, Herb, Norman and Roy; four sisters, Nellie, Alida, Mrs. Sidney Trewin, and Mrs. Stanley Malcolm, all near the old home at Blackstock.

Mr. Taylor passed away in Wainwright Hospital on Sunday morning, and was laid to rest in the Irma cemetery. The service was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Kemp. Speaking from Revelations, He shall wipe all tears from their eyes. The hymns, "Rock of Ages", "Abide with Me", and "God be with you" were beautifully sung by the choir and Mrs. Pryce Jones sang as solo. "God will take care of you". Two of Mr. Taylor's old friends, Mr. Stuart Darroch of Edmonton, and Mr. Walter Bissel of Viking, were present.

The pall bearers were: Messrs. S. Bowerman, F. Thurston, W. Gray, J. Thompson, H. Adams and J. Ballentine.

There were many beautiful floral tributes. Wife and family, Irma Public School, Peterson family, Helen and Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Oldham and family, Mr. and Mrs. Foxwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnston and family, Roseberry and Alma Mater Ladies Aid, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Reeds, Mr. and Mrs. McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Pryce Jones, Mary and Kathleen, the Younker family, Mr. and Mrs. Maddier and Helen, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Geary and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. B. Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson, Mrs. Ballentine and family, Mrs. King and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frickelton, the Sew and So Club, Mr. and Mrs. Prosser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thurston and Mrs. Bryans, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Steel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Willerton, Mr. and Mrs. Batchelor, Mr. and Mrs. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. C. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Savard, Mr. and Mrs. Fry, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gregson, Mr. William Walker and family, and the Bacon family.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all those who were so kind to help in my sad bereavement, and also for the beautiful flowers. —Mrs. N. Figinshau.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Jacob Meyer and family wish to extend their sincere thanks to all those who assisted in any way at the time of their recent sad bereavement.

Dog Causes Tragic Auto Accident

(From the Viking News)

A terrible automobile accident happened three miles west of Viking on the highway last Sunday afternoon when a car occupied by Mr. Geo. H. Marr, Mrs. Mary, and two young daughters, Dorothy and Marion, aged 7 and 9 years, swerved off the highway, tore into a fence and rolled over before coming to a stop. A dog crouching in the grass ready to spring at the car, and which Mr. Marr tried to avoid hitting, was the primary cause of the accident. The two children were thrown clear of the car and suffered bruises and shock; Mrs. Marr, it appears was crushed when she was pinned under the car and died almost instantly, while Mr. Marr who was also thrown clear sustained shock and slight bruises. The car was a total wreck.

Passing autoists picked up the injured and rushed them to Viking Hospital for medical attention. The little girls are recovering from their experience.

The family had been at a summer cottage at Cooking Lake for the holidays. On Sunday they were on their way to Unity, Sask., to visit Mrs. Marr's parents. Mrs. Marr's body was shipped to Unity on Monday where burial took place on Wednesday. The deceased was 43 years of age. Mr. Marr is a representative of the General Electric Co., Edmonton, and has visited this town on several occasions.

"MUTUAL PROTECTION" SCHEME PROPOUNDED

EDMONTON — A movement to bring together "mutual protection" all citizens who do not wish to sign the covenants issued by Alberta's Social Credit government as a part of its proposed registration of citizens, was under way here Sunday. Fred R. Edmondson book seller and former school teacher, launched the movement.

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Unearthing Hidden Wealth

Almost daily new testimony of the great potentialities of hidden wealth in the form of natural gas and petroleum as well as metallic minerals of great value awaiting exploration and development somewhere beneath the surface soil of the three prairie provinces, and possibly in enormous quantities, is brought to light.

Evidence of the existence of untold mineral riches from the foothills of the Rocky Mountains to the mud flats bordering the large lakes of Manitoba and from the international boundary to the Arctic circle and beyond is revealed from time to time in seepages and sparse outcroppings, in the results of geological surveys and in the findings of experts who are sounding and tapping the terrain and compiling data in increasing numbers from year to year.

In this great search for new wealth which is now going on over this vast area the advance of scientific knowledge is destined to play an increasingly important role and will probably hasten the day when much of this hidden wealth will be uncovered and converted to the use of mankind for the benefit of these three provinces and their peoples.

The use of the aeroplane in the past two or three years is speeding up the work of mapping out the most likely areas and this is being followed up by trained men equipped with the most modern scientific instruments in unprecedented efforts to locate great veins of gold and silver, copper and zinc and huge pools of oil and big deposits of gas and other forms of mineral riches.

Even before these modern methods of locating and wresting wealth from unseen depths were made available, concrete indications of its existence were evident in such discoveries as the Turner Valley oil and gas fields in Alberta, copper and gold in Manitoba and the more recent finds of gold in the Athabasca Lake region in Saskatchewan, to mention only a few of them.

Some of these deposits have already been developed and others are being turned into production, but even in these fields cumulative evidence points to the probability that only the surface has yet been scratched, as witness the recent discovery of the existence of oil, presumably in large quantities, at hitherto untapped depths just beyond the outskirts of the known Turner Valley field.

And outside the known and already productive fields is a vast territory which, if credence is to be given the weight of evidence and belief of scientific authorities, has perhaps even greater possibilities.

The discovery by Mr. Howard, Winnipeg geologist, of definite folding of sub strata in south western Manitoba recently prompted Dorsey Hager of New York, a geologist of international repute and author of standard works on field geology, to express his conviction that there is every reason to suppose that the whole of Saskatchewan, the greater part of Alberta and part of Manitoba are sitting over a vast potential oil and gas field.

Such a possibility has been suspected, for some time but Mr. Hager wisely drew attention to the difficulties which must be encountered before this great wealth can be tapped with any degree of reasonable certainty and intimated that recovery of these riches is likely to entail large expenditures of capital because of the peculiar geological conformation of the country.

For example, Mr. Hager pointed out that the residents of the Lloydminster district on the Alberta-Saskatchewan boundary who were fortunate enough to strike gas in commercial quantities on the strength of sketchy geological reports compiled in Ottawa were taking a gamble with odds of 500 to one against them and that "even where a dome or anticline is located in a known field by experienced men the chances are only one in three that oil or gas will be found in commercial quantities."

The difficulties of locating hidden mineral wealth are great enough in countries where exposed outcroppings are frequent and where geological sub-strata is regular but these handicaps are multiplied a hundredfold in a territory overlain by glacial drift and where the sub-strata is subjected to frequent faults as in the prairie provinces.

All of which is tantamount to saying that the search for mineral wealth in Western Canada is essentially a rich man's game and that the great need for successful prosecution of the search is available capital in considerable quantities. Those who attempt it on a shoestring are playing against great odds.

Have Made History

Domination Representatives Meet With Coronation Commission For First Time

For the first time in history, representatives of the dominions attended a meeting of a coronation commission. The historic meeting was held in St. James' Palace, The dominions' representatives were present to discuss what part the dominions will take in the coronation ceremony next May.

The prime ministers and high commissioners of the dominions were appointed by the king July 20 to serve on the coronation commission.

The meeting was private. Those attending representing the dominions were Stanley Bruce, and Charles Water, high commissioners in London for Australia and South Africa respectively.

Monks Building Church

Brothers Of English Community Belief Helped By Students

Brethren of the Community of the Resurrection in Mirfield, England, have started to erect a modern community church in their grounds. They are being assisted by students of their college. Early Claretian simplicity is the keynote of the project, with a great nave, a sacristy with a rose window, an aisle and a crypt under the nave. There also will be galleries and chapels, and eventually a tower with a large dome.

Not So Very Easy

The word "drought" is a reminder of the peculiarities of English pronunciation, says the Toronto Globe. The sentence, "Though the drought be thought thorough enough, it is not through," shows how difficult the language must be for foreigners.

It takes three hours for a man to tell all he knows; then he becomes interesting.

Stop Scratching

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WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—

And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning Rarin' to Go

The liver should pour out two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just stays in the bowels. Gas builds up, your stomach, you get constipated. Harmful poisons go into the body, and you feel sour, sick and the world looks gloomy.

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Peaceful Penetration

How Japan Is Acquiring Huge Slice Of Chinese Territory

Chinese territory comprising an area of 154,185 square miles and a population of about 50,000,000 has passed from control of the Chinese government to that of Japan so quietly that it apparently slipped the notice of the world.

Hopel province alone, which is the most fertile and one of the richest provinces of China, has a population of 39,000,000 as compared with 10,000,000 in all Ethiopia. Foreign trade through its principal ports amounts to \$175,000,000 annually as compared with Ethiopia's \$10,000,000. The greatest part of Hopel's import and export business is with the United States.

Hopel has an autonomous government. This has been achieved without a shot being fired, except "by mistake" in Tanguin and without attracting much attention from the other powers.

Students were the only group which voiced any open objections to what has been going on and that movement seemingly will fall at an early date.

Japan has learned a lesson how to acquire new territory without attracting "busy-bodies" like the Lyttelton commissioners who investigated the Manchurian adventure. As soon as its position in Hopel and Chahar is consolidated there is little doubt Japan intends to see what can be done about all other Chinese provinces north of the Yellow river.

Japanese advisers sit in every office in the Hopel-Chahar political council and the provincial bureaus and no step is taken without first consulting the little men from the Island Empire.

Distinctively British

English People Again Prove They Are Law-Abiding

The French, they tell us, are "volatile"; the Spaniards, "romantic"; the English, "law-abiding." We carry these show-word stereotypes of thought with us. Often they are misleading. But sometimes they are well-based. Oddly, it took the attempted assassination of King Edward to bring out in full favour, that respect for legal process quality which is distinctively British. In any other country in Europe the assassin would have been torn apart on the spot. What happened in London? This: McMahon, his gun knocked from his hand, was quietly taken away, with little disturbance. Edward immediately minimized the affair, thereby relieving the assassin of the capital charge of treason. The police were careful to point out that though the revolver was loaded, the uppermost bullet chamber, the one in the firing line, was empty—New York Post.

Giving Work To Thousands

Coronation Next Year Already Of Benefit To Unemployed

People in different parts of the Empire are already booking passages to London, and seats along the procession route for the Coronation next May.

It is estimated, says Reuter, that at least 1,500 seats will be reserved by Australians and New Zealanders. There will be hundreds of princes, rich landlords, and millionaire merchants from India.

The Coronation will find work for thousands of unemployed. Already many people in Yorkshire have been found jobs in the making of commemorative mugs and jugs.—London Daily Mail.

Just A Slight Error

William E. Merchant, Winston-Salem, N.C., knows how it feels to be a millionaire for a day. Merchant received a dividend cheque from a company in which he owns a small block of stock. It was made out for \$1,000,014.50, and properly signed by all necessary officials. It should have been for \$14.50. He returned the cheque.

Dumped into the deepest part of the ocean (35,410 feet), situated between the Philippines and Japan, Mt. Everest would be more than 6,000 feet under water.

Building Up Navy

Britain Will Continue To Launch More Battleships

There is no evidence that the bombing plane has made the battleship obsolete as the backbone of the British navy.

That, it is understood, will be the finding of the government's "Battleship versus Bomber" committee, which will complete its report very soon. Tests have been made to ascertain the vulnerability of battleships from the air.

Battleship building will continue, and tenders will be invited for two £7,500,000 super-dreadnoughts without delay.

This will be followed at the end of the year by invitations to tender for four more.

The districts likely to be asked to build them are Barrow-in-Furness, the Clyde, the Tyne and Belfast.

The committee's views may be summed up thus:

Though the development of the plane has added a new terror to the battleship, it is unlikely that a plane would be able to score enough direct hits on a ship to sink it.

Decks are now being so heavily armored that a bomb would not penetrate far enough.

Enormous developments have been made recently in anti-aircraft guns, which can fire 1,600 shells a minute.

The number of planes for the naval air arm is being increased so that air attackers may be beaten off.

Bounty For Wolves

Increasing In Numbers And Becoming Menace In Northwest

Wolves are so numerous in the far-north and so many fur-bearing and big game animals have been slaughtered by them that the government has reintroduced a bounty for their pelts.

The Dominion government used to pay a bounty of \$30 for every wolf pelt. It was reduced to \$20 in 1932 and dropped the following year. Since then, wolves have increased in numbers throughout the north-west territories and in provinces flanking the northern timber lands to such an extent they have become a real menace.

The new regulations call for a bounty of \$5 for each pelt with the trapper keeping the skin for sale. This follows the practice of most provinces in connection to the old regulation under which the Dominion retained the skin for sale.

Wanted A Companion

Man Gave Odd Reason For Stealing Valuable Clock

Elmer Koch, 24, reposed in a Chicago jail, where time is reckoned by days and there are no cuckoo clocks. He was charged with stealing a cuckoo clock (solid walnut, hard carved, Swiss made, and three weighted), from a curiosity shop on Milwaukee avenue. "I got lonesome sitting around home all day while my wife works," Elmer explained. "I got to thinking about this cuckoo clock in this store. I thought how companionable it would be, and I finally wanted it so much I went and got it." The judge said 30 days.

New Gadget For Trucks

Perhaps this gadget will aid motorists to pass trucks more easily on the highway: a sound-absorbing device at the rear of the truck to carry the sound of an approaching car to the driver through a microphone. The Province of Quebec Safety League is going to suggest this device to truck owners.

A Trio Of Veterans

Charles Gibbs, Edmonton, blacksmith, always wanted to be able to shoe a horse when he was 90 years of age, and has done so. He came out of business retirement to shoe 100-year-old Joseph Haire's 30-year-old mare, Nelly.

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Leaves Odd Will

Teacher Gave Instructions For Burial In Old Way

A will instructing that its writer be buried in the old way without silk or white cotton and with a pillow of wood shavings covered with some other white cloth has been probated in Sudbury, Ont.

The will, drawn up in 1928, was that of Celina Charbonneau, school teacher, who died in February. She ordered no embalming be performed and her body be dressed and placed in the casket "only by members of her own sex."

Total value of the estate was \$16,000, the majority of which was left for church purposes after setting aside an income for her brother and amounts for nieces and nephews. Her furniture was to be divided equally among those attending the funeral.

SELECTED RECIPES

GOLD CAKE

3 tablepoons butter
¾ cup sugar
Yolks of 3 eggs
1 teaspoon flavoring extract
1½ cups flour
3 teaspoons Magic Baking Powder
¾ cup milk
Cream butter; add sugar slowly; add egg yolks which have been beaten until thick; add flavoring. Sift together flour and baking powder; add alternately, with milk to first mixture. Bake in greased loaf pan in moderate oven at 375 degrees F. for 35 minutes, or in shallow pan 25 minutes. Cover with any icing desired.

Very Likely Would

There is a story concerning a clergyman who, at dinner, had to listen to a talkative young man who had much to say on Darwin.

"I can't see," bawled the youth, "what difference it would make to me if my grandfather was an ape." "No," skirted the clergyman, "I can't see that it would. But it must have made a great difference to your grandmother."

More than 1,000,000 pounds of American toilet soaps were imported into the Philippines in the last year.

Tarpon Springs, Fla., is the sponge capital of the world.

Appointed Soil Specialist

Dr. Alfred Leashey Of Edmonton Has Had Wide Experience

Dr. Alfred Leashey of Edmonton, Alberta, has been appointed Soil Specialist to succeed the late Sidney Barnes who had charge of soils investigations for Western Canada under the Dominion Field Husbandman, Experimental Farms Branch, Dominion Department of Agriculture.

The splendid work which was done by the late Mr. Barnes on the moisture requirements of plants, soil moisture conservation, and soil drifting investigations is well-known throughout the Prairie Provinces. Dr. Leashey with his special training and experience is well qualified to carry on the investigations on Dominion Experimental Farms, Stations and Substations, as well as in the new Soil Research Laboratory at Swift Current, Sask.

Dr. Leashey attended primary and secondary schools in Alberta, graduated with the degree of B.Sc. in Agriculture from the University of Alberta, obtained his M.Sc. from the same University, and his Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin. For the past ten years as a member of the staff of the University of Alberta and the Research Council of Alberta, he has had wide practical experience in soil survey, soil analysis, and field experiments with fertilizers in Alberta.

Trifles Make Perfection

Great Italian Sculptor Knew Value Of Small Things

The great Italian sculptor, Michelangelo, was once visited by an acquaintance, who remarked, on entering his studio: "Why, you have done nothing to that figure since I was here last." "Yes," was the reply; "I have softened this expression, touched off that projection, and made other improvements." "Oh!" said the visitor, "those are mere trifles." "True," answered Michelangelo, "but remember that trifles make perfection; and perfection is no trifle."

Fish, we are told, tends to give a man courage. We heard the other day of a meek little boardinghouse diner speaking up and asking for another sardine on his toast.

More fur pelts are taken annually in Louisiana than in Canada and Alaska combined.

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HEAVY WAXED PAPER

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Main Street

Harvesting started this week in the Irma district.

Mrs. M. D. Askin spent last Tuesday in Edmonton.

Mr. E. Sharkey spent last week-end with relatives in Edmonton.

Mr. McNally of Wainwright is busy stuccoing the Irma public school.

Step inside and see the snappy specials at Irma Trading Co.

"Elford's"

Mr. Sharkey has had the contract of stuccoing Dr. Greenberg's residence.

Mr. Cecil Askin of California is expected home on Tuesday August 11 for a visit.

Mrs. A. E. Foxwell and daughter Joyce, have been holidaying at Salt Lake, Chauvin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Elford and family are spending a few holidays at Banff and Calgary.

Mr. Arthur Hackett and family are now located in Mr. R. H. Stone's house on Second Avenue West.

Miss Rena Fenton accompanied the Johnsons as far as Stettler for a week's visit with relatives.

Mrs. Tate and family, Mrs. M. A. Flewelling and Miss Alice Flewelling are away this week on a holiday trip.

Mrs. C. T. Hill returned last Tuesday from a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. P. J. Hardy of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Dickson and family of Innisfail, Alta., visited at the home of Mrs. James Fenton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Marsden, accompanied by Mrs. R. W. Maguire and son Frank, spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends at Wetaskiwin.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Askin and family of Port Arthur, Ont., arrived last Monday morning for a visit with Mr. Askin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Askin.

Congratulations are due Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Simmons of Edberg, Alta., and formerly of Irma, on the arrival of a 10 1/2 lb baby girl on August 1st, at the Camrose Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Enger Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Enger and family spent last week-end at the home of their son and brother, Mr. Einar Enger at Entwistle, Alta.

Rev. E. T. Kemp will be back from his holidays in time to conduct the following United Church services on August 9th: Paschendale, 11 a.m.; Crescent Hill, 3 p.m. and Irma 8 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Johnson and children, Garth and Barbara, left last Monday on a holiday trip to Three Hills and other Alberta points to visit relatives and friends.

Catch Weeds in Weak Moments, Says Farmer

Edmonton, July 31.—Claiming to have discovered a method of destroying the sow and Canada thistle by catching them in weak moments, John Mottus, of Eckville, Alta., is in Edmonton with the intention of revealing his secret free of charge for the benefit of Alberta farmers.

Mottus, who had signatures of 70 farmers in the Wetaskiwin district who state they have used his discovery and freed their land of these destructive weeds, claimed if farmers would follow his instructions he would rid the whole province of the weeds.

Instructions to farmers from Mr. Mottus are to cut two to four inches above the ground and plow or pull the thistles within the 80-hour period from 8 a.m. August 12 to 4 p.m. Aug. 15, rain or shine. His request is that persons using his method let him know of their success.

SMALL WHEAT CROP IN THE WEST

Conditions on Alberta's wheat farms have become increasingly worse with the Peace River district being the only area in the province with a really good crop. There has been some rainfall over portions in the central wheat belt with Edmonton reporting better than one half inch last week-end, but on the whole the drought has persisted and each passing day without general and profuse rains sees the prospective outturn dwindling.

Rains now would help the oat crop and do some good to the late wheat, but most of the latter crop is already too far advanced to be materially increased in yield no matter how much rain falls.

The provinces of Manitoba and Saskatchewan report similarly bad conditions. On the whole it is evident that the 1936 crop will be the smallest Canada has produced in many years, and much of the grain is likely to be shrivelled and light in weight.

The first government report of the yield will be issued by the Bureau of Statistics on August 8th.

The old-fashioned man, who was presented with his first watch and chain on his twenty-first birthday, has a son who has worn out three automobiles before he is old enough to vote.—*Brainerd Tribune.*

Rev. Fr. McGrane, of Irma, who has considerable experience in printing and linotype operating, has been assisting in setting the type for this issue during the absence of Mr. Wood in Saskatoon. We appreciate the fact that we could get such able assistance on short notice.

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SPORTS

(From the Viking News)
HERB SITS IN SEATS OF THE MIGHTY AT DETROIT

Detroit,
15411 Kentucky Ave.

Dear Tun:—

As there is nothing so useless as stale news I hasten to wire you a report on the biggest sporting event thus far. I have just seen a baseball game between Boston and Detroit, packed with thrills from start to finish. Can you imagine a humble citizen of Viking being invited to use the "box" of the millionaire Dodge? Bruce somehow arranged this, and the Collier group tried to look as nonchalant as possible when ushered into this choice location. We learned the cost of such a box, \$567.00 for the season, and that fact did not lessen the enjoyment.

The crowd of over 15,000 made a wonderful sight. A portion of the great horsehoe grandstand has three decks. Those on the upper deck are consequently well up in the clouds. Such a gathering provides a beautiful picture, the gay colors of the women rivaling the rainbow.

Just a peanut-toss from us sat Commissioner Landis and the notables. They were all present to participate in the ceremonies of presenting the championship pennants to the Tigers. Those pennants proved of amazing size. A score or more were carried then soup-strainer style over to the big pole. The one denoting "World Champions" could be used as a dust cap for the roof of the drug store!

When hoisting this, the thing half-way up, the cord broke, and down came the pennant. To the great crowd such an accident seemed symbolic of the fall of the Tigers, and the gasps of grief were unforgettable.

The game was a real one providing a great variety of pitching and hitting. I saw two or three "floaters" put over. I would like to know what the pitcher did to that ball, for it seemed to be just a child's toss. Yet when the batter swung furiously at it, he missed, while the crowd roared with delight. The skill of those high-salaried boys in picking up the ball when running at top speed, and flicking it over to a base is a delight. There were two home runs in this game. As that white ball sails up into the clouds and disappears over the horizon of the field, the crowd gets the supreme thrill of batting. Over the radio we have heard the ping of the wood connecting with the little sphere, but to see the flight is an added joy.

It was an interesting game in pitching and hitting, but the coaching also provided features. Al Schacht was there. As he signalled the batter by whistles and dirt scratching, I got the fun of trying to solve the signals. His job seems to be a real one, and not just that of a clown.

One can never forget the sight of the great Kenishaw Landis, with the silver hair, as he watched the game hatless. He leaned far over until his chin rested on the iron rail presenting an ideal picture of the most interested spectator.

You may whisper to our friends that we are having a big time in Detroit. The hot spot was unbearable and we simply lived and slept in the cellar. Delightful weather since, permitting many pleasant trips to the interesting resorts around Michigan and Ohio.

The Viking News is doubly appreciative at this distance, for it comes as a big, new letter from home. You may pat the sports writer on the back for me. I will recommend him for a job on the big Daily News, salary, \$10,000.

Herb.

EDDIE WENSTOR WINS

In his first fight at St. Paul, Minn., last Thursday Eddie Wenstor won easily over a boxer named George X. Eddie had quite a time getting to St. Paul for the engagement on account of trouble at the border with immigration officials, don't know what over. After travelling by car, train and aeroplane he finally reached his destination only a few hours before entering the ring. He has another match at Duluth on August 14th, and others booked at Milwaukee and Chicago. The St. Paul papers speak very highly of his debut and predicted a bright future for him.

TOWARD

Cheerily, friend your burdens bear—
Their weight will then grow lighter;
Think of the dawn when darkness falls—
The night will be the brighter.

Nancy Orpha Parks.

For Job Printing see E. W. Carter.

SUMMERFALLOW SUBSTITUTES

(Experimental Farms Note)

The object of summerfallowing land is to build up reserves of moisture, increase the available amount of plant food, decrease the number of viable weed seeds that are likely to grow in the following crop and to eradicate or obtain better control of certain perennial weeds. Summerfallowing is the best general dry farming practice known at the present time for accomplishing these ends. For this reason, summerfallowing is considered the most important; basic practice of Western Canada farming. While summerfallowing land is the most productive, it is also the land which has been most susceptible to soil drifting in recent years. Summerfallowing, however, has sometimes been considered an expensive method of preparing land for crops due to loss of revenue during the fallow year.

For many years, various methods and crops have been tested as substitutes for the summerfallow. Experiments conducted at the Dominion Experimental Station at Swift Current since the year 1922 have shown to date that wheat yields following various summerfallow substitutes are often considerably lower than yields of wheat when grown on bare fallow land. For the years 1923 to 1929 inclusive the average wheat yields per acre following summerfallow and summerfallow substitutes are as follows:

After fallow 26.6 bushels; after corn 22.2 bushels; after potatoes 22.1 bushels; after barley in double rows 42 inches apart, 17.9 bushels; after wheat in double rows 42 inches apart, 17.9 bushels; after oats in double rows 42 inches apart, 16.1 bushels; after sunflowers 15.9 bushels; after green feed, 12.8 bushels; after oats in triple rows cut for grain, 17.0 bushels; after oats sown half-bushel per acre cut for grain, 12.7 bushels per acre.

Crops of wheat following fallow substitutes in 1930 were so weedy that they had to be mowed before seed ripened. In 1931, yields following fallow substitutes were exceedingly light. While corn and potatoes proved to be the best fallow substitutes, these can only be grown on a limited acreage. Corn land is sometimes rendered susceptible to soil drifting in the spring by the inter-tillage of the previous year which creates a level and loose condition of the top soil. Timely use of a narrow tooth cultivator that will dig up lumps from the lower depths will often rectify this condition. Corn stubble has not been found to be very effective in preventing soil drifting, since such stubble is generally scanty.

The yield of grain from a wheat crop grown in rows together with the yield from the succeeding wheat crop sown in ordinary six-inch spaced drills, has approximately equalled the yields obtained from wheat grown continuously on one piece of land not summerfallowed. Oats sown June 6 to June 10 on fallow for green feed has yielded 1.34 tons of cured hay for a seven-year average. Since the wheat yields following averaged only 12.9 bushels per acre as compared with 26.6 bushels per acre on fallow, it is considered that for this period the 1.34 tons of green oat hay cost 13.9 bushels of wheat plus the cost of growing the oat green feed crop. Later seedlings are likely to produce a lower yield of green feed but a higher yield from the following wheat crops. Cereals sown in late July or early August would be classed as cover crops for the prevention of soil drifting. Such crops may produce some fall pasture.

An alternative to growing grain in rows as a summerfallow substitute is the method of strip farming which maintains summerfallow land at its highest productive state and at the same time, provides some protection against soil drifting.

Dominion Experimental Farm, Swift Current, Sask.

A cub reporter on a Calgary paper was sent to get the news of a fire at a residence there last week. "Is the man of the house at home?" he asked the maid who came to the door. "No, he's out," she replied. "Well, perhaps the lady of the house is at home," he said. "No, she's out too," the maid replied. "Are any of the family at home?" he ventured. "No, they're all out," said the maid. "Well, wasn't there a fire here?" he asked. "Yes, but that's out, too," the girl replied.

A Ryley husband came home last Saturday after a short vacation and said: "Doesn't my new love technique awaken something in you?" "Yes," said his wife, "it arouses my suspicions."

A local young man who recently announced a new arrival at his home says that the baby bears a striking resemblance to his wife, especially since it is able to talk.

Viking News Items

Messrs. N. C. Graham and Wm. Comisarow enjoyed a two days' fishing trip to Cold Lake, returning Tuesday evening. They brought home a box full of Cold Lake Trout which they are sharing with a number of their friends. Bill claims that the biggest one was about 15 lbs. They got one that weighed over 15 lbs. Yes, we actually saw it.

While riding horse back last week Mr. Dave Farquharson had the misfortune to be thrown off when the horse stumbled. Mr. Farquharson was bruised quite badly so that he had to spend a couple of days in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Whitehouse and two sons, of Manville were guests of friends in town on Saturday. "Bill" was formerly employed in the News office here, but is now publishing a paper at Manville.

Mrs. G. H. Wilbur, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Miss Jean Davidson, of Innisfail, are guests at the home of Mrs. E. Hilliker. Mrs. Wilbur motored here from Cleveland with a party that is now visiting at Innisfail.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood and children, and Mrs. D. A. Moffat left early by motor Friday morning for Saskatoon where Mrs. Wood and children will remain for about a month.

W. H. Collier motored down from Edmonton last Friday and spent the week-end here with friends. We acknowledge a pleasant call at this office.

Dr. S. Scott and family leave this week for a two weeks' holiday which will include a family reunion in Edmonton on August 10th.

Messrs. Harold Lobb and S. Salverson from Duhamel were recent visitors with Dr. and Mrs. Scott at the manse.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Green and sons have returned from a two weeks' holiday spent at Pigeon Lake.

H. H. F. Friezel has returned to his home in Edmonton. We understand that he has quit the bank service.

V. A. Hardy is moving into his new store today, (Wednesday).

Earl Hardy, Alvin Gilpin, Percy Empey and "Chuck" McLaren enjoyed a visit to Banff last week.

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